EXHIBIT 2

- 1 A. Not at this time anymore.
- 2 Q. Have you signed an engagement
- 3 letter with any lawyers in connection with this
- 4 case?
- 5 A. Not to my recollection.
- 6 Exhibit 23 was marked for
- 7 identification by the reporter.)
- Q. (BY MR. SIMSHAUSER)
- 9 Mr. Kalbfleisch, showing you what's been marked
- 10 Exhibit 23. This is the rule 26.2 B
- certification that has your name at the bottom.
- 12 Is that your signature sir?
- 13 A. Correct.
- Q. When did you sign this document?
- 15 A. I do not remember.
- Q. What's your best recollection as to
- the year in which you signed this document?
- A. I do not remember.
- 19 Q. Was it 2007? Was it this year or
- some year before 2007?
- 21 A. Before 2007, I know that.
- Q. You heard -- you heard Mr. Vaughn
- 23 say this morning that he thought he signed the
- 24 basically same document in 2005. Do you remember
- 25 Mr. Vaughn saying that?

- 1 A. Yes, I do.
- 2 Q. Is that consistent with your
- 3 recollection that this could have been 2005 when
- 4 you signed this document?
- 5 A. I do not, I do not remember.
- 6 Q. Is there any -- is there any
- 7 document or other material to which you could
- 8 refer that would assist you in recalling when you
- 9 signed this document?
- 10 A. Not that I know of.
- 11 Q. Have you ever previously seen a
- legal document of any sort that's undated?
- 13 A. I haven't been into too many legal
- 14 documents.
- Q. Have you ever seen any legal
- document of any kind that's not dated?
- 17 A. There again, I have never been in
- 18 any legal situation.
- 19 Q. This is a document that was drafted
- 20 for you by your attorneys, correct?
- 21 A. Evidently.
- Q. You didn't write these words the
- 23 attorneys did correct?
- 24 A. Correct.
- Q. In the first sentence there it says

- that you have discussed the scope of discovery in
- 2 this action. Do you see that?
- A. Yes, I do.
- Q. What is that referring to?
- 5 A. There again, I relied on the
- 6 attorneys to take care of the legal part of this.
- 7 Q. Do you know what discovery is in a
- 8 lawsuit?
- 9 A. No, I don't.
- 10 Q. And in the second sentence, it says
- 11 that you consent to any effort by your counsel to
- 12 seek discovery events that exceed the presumptive
- 13 limits set forth in certain rules. Do you see
- 14 that?
- 15 A. Correct.
- Q. Do you know what discovery events
- means in that context?
- 18 A. No, I don't.
- 19 Q. Do you know how many depositions
- your attorneys have taken in this case?
- 21 A. No, I do not.
- Q. Do you know how many they're
- 23 seeking to take?
- A. No, I do not.
- Q. Do you know whether they're going

- to go into Federal court in Boston next week and
- 2 try the take more depositions?
- A. That, I do not.
- 4 Q. Do you know who the judge is in
- 5 this case?
- 6 A. I do not.
- 7 Q. Now, at the time you called the 800
- 8 number in the newspaper advertisement that you
- 9 saw you say that you were concerned about the
- 10 performance of your Putnam mutual funds; is that
- 11 right?
- 12 A. I was curious of what the ad meant
- 13 to the Putnam fund at that time, yes.
- Q. At, at the time, did you have any
- 15 concerns or questions about your Putnam funds
- other than things relating to performance?
- 17 A. No, I did not.
- 18 Q. And is part of the reason that
- 19 you've brought this lawsuit related to your
- 20 concerns about the performance of the Putnam
- 21 funds that you own?
- 22 A. The -- could you repeat that
- 23 question, please.
- Q. You told me a moment ago that the
- 25 reason you called the 800 number you saw in the